



A Parable of a Father & His Two Sons

# THE GOSPEL OF LUKE

GOD'S SALVATION PLAN

Involves

Repentance, Restoration, & Rejection

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Healings, Parables, and how to enter the

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## **REVIEW**

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Luke 12:15 “Beware and be on your guard against every form of greed; for not even when one has an abundance does his life consist of his possessions.”

Jeremiah 17:9 “The heart is more deceitful than all else and is desperately sick; who can understand it?”

James 1:14-15 “ But each one is tempted when he is carried away and enticed by his own lust, then when lust has conceived, it gives birth to sin; and when sin is accomplished it brings forth death.”

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**“They that die by famine die by inches.”**

Matthew Henry

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## II. The Oldest Son

1. The resentment vs. 25-30
2. The reminder vs.31-32



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## **“The Third Son”**

### **\* The Son of God, Jesus Christ**

- a. The only Son without sin.
- b. The Son who came from a far country – heaven itself.
- c. The Son who did not run away, but who did the will of His Father.
- d. The Son who gave His life as a ransom for many.
- e. The Son who is the Prince of Peace, satisfying His Father’s wrath.
- f. The Son who was not a wayward son, but a willing sacrifice for sin.
- g. The Son who provided salvation to those who would repent and believe in Him alone.



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## **Application:**

- 1. If you have not yet repented and trusted in Jesus Christ as your LORD, you are not the Father's son.**
- 2. What made the difference for this young son?**
  - a. instead of saying “Father give me”, he said “Father forgive me” .**
  - b. He learned the meaning of misery, but also the true meaning of mercy and grace.**
- 3. Have you discovered the meaning of God's mercy and grace in your life?**

## **VERSE 1**

Oh the deep, deep love of Jesus  
Vast, unmeasured, boundless, free  
Rolling as a mighty ocean  
In its fullness over me  
Underneath me, all around me  
Is the current of Your love  
Leading onward, leading homeward  
To Your glorious rest above

## **CHORUS**

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All I need and trust  
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## **VERSE 2**

Oh the deep, deep love of Jesus  
Spread His praise from shore to shore  
How He came to pay our ransom  
Through the saving cross He bore  
How He watches o'er His loved ones  
Those He died to make His own  
How for them He's interceding  
Pleading now before the throne

### **VERSE 3**

Oh the deep, deep love of Jesus  
Far surpassing all the rest  
It's an ocean full of blessing  
In the midst of every test  
Oh the deep, deep love of Jesus  
Mighty Savior, precious Friend  
You will bring us home to glory  
Where Your love will never end

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